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REPORT

SUBJECT Lang Gepgyar (Lang Machinery Plant),
Budapest (labor force - plant
producing turbines for hydro-
electrical power stations, chemical
plant equipment and marine
engines)

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report concerning the Lang Gepgyar (Lang Machinery Plant) in Budapest. The report gives some information on the production of the plant and the enterprises supplying materials to it. It also gives the number of employees as of 1955, late 1956, and April 1957.

The report includes a sketch, with explanatory legend, showing the relative locations of the various departments.

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Road, Budapest. It produces turbines for hydroelectrical power stations, equipment for chemical works, and marine engines. Between April 1955 and April 1957 the following export items were completed: two turbines for the power station in El Tabin, Egypt; a complete set of machinery and equipment for a Rumanian caustic soda plant; and five or six marine engines for the USSR, Poland and China.

2. The following enterprises supply steel to the Lang Machinery Plant: the Magyar and the Kobanya Steel Works (Kobanyal Acelarugyar) and the Diosgyor Railroad Works (Dimavag Diosgyor). The Dunapetele Works supplies coke and pig iron, while iron ores are imported from the USSR.

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3. In 1955 the plant employed 5,000 workers, 25 percent of whom belonged to the technical staff, and in late 1956 the labor force had decreased to 2,500, including a technical and administrative staff of 800 persons. The plant was not damaged during the rebellion of late 1956, and production was uninterrupted. The labor force, however, diminished; as of April 1957, the plant employed about 2000 workers, including a technical and administrative staff of 400.
4. The plant operated in three shifts until mid-1955, when production was adapted to two shifts. Since the rebellion there has only been one shift a day.
5. The following personalities are known:

a. Janos Bagyinka

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b. Zoltan Bakonyi

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c. Laszlo Czako

d. Domborocki (fnu)

e. Peter Marko,

f. Pohlinger (fnu)

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1. Vaci road in XIII zone
2. Entrance for pedestrians, through management's building
3. Vehicular entrance
4. Management building, which is a six-story building, still under construction
5. Workshops
6. Carpentry shop
7. Lathe room
8. Quality supervision department
9. Assembly hall
10. Offices
11. Chemical laboratory
12. Foundry No. 1
13. Foundry No. 2
14. Power station
15. Gate for railroad line

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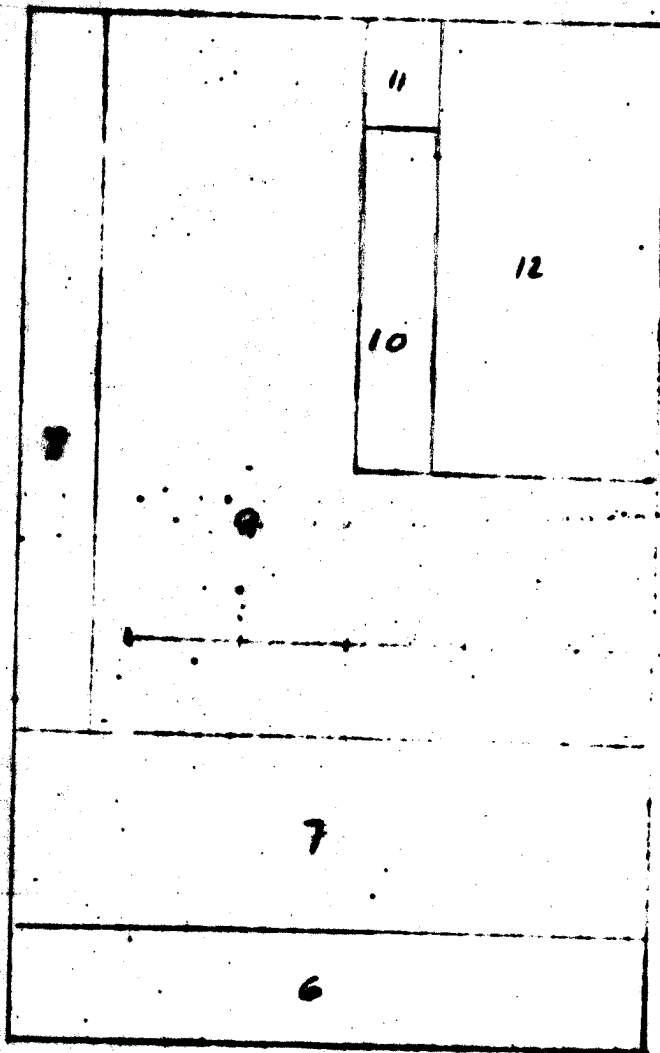


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